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## **DECISION**

Principal:

Canyon Fuel Company, LLC.

Coal Exploration License

City Place One, Suite 300

UTU-76864

St. Louis, Missouri 63141-7056

Surety:

Bond Amount: \$133,000

Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America:

c/o Marsh USA, Inc.

Bond No.

P. O. Box 19810

Knoxville, Tennessee 37939-2810

Coal Exploration License Bond Period of Liability Terminated

On December 5, 2012, a request was made to terminate the period of liability of the following listed bond covering this Federal coal exploration license:

Coal Exploration License Serial Number

Surety Bond Number

**Bond Amount** \$133,000

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This Federal coal exploration license expired on February 17, 2001. A report from our Price Field Office has recommended that the period of liability on this current exploration bond for this license be terminated. The exploration holes completed under this exploration license were converted to water monitoring wells that are still being actively monitored. However, it has been determined that these monitoring wells are within the Skyline Mine's Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (UDOGM) permit and any liability would fall under the coverage of the UDOGM reclamation bond. Therefore, the period of liability of the above noted bond may be terminated effective the date of this decision.

If you have further questions, please contact Bill Buge of this office at (801) 539-4086.

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